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HON. ALEXANDER H. REVELL

Prominent and successful merchant; one of Chicago's foremost citizens, steadfast friend of the colored people; strong admirer of the late Col. Theodore Roosevelt. On Tuesday, November 4, every colored man residing in the Twenty-ninth Senatorial District of Illinois should vote for him for one of the Republican delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

This coming Tuesday, November 4th, the voters residing in the 29th Senatorial District of Illinois will have the extreme pleasure and the high honor of recording their votes in favor of electing Hon. Alexander Hamilton Revell, as one of the Republican candidates for delegate to the constitutional convention, for Mr. Revell who was born and raised in this city and has always made his home in it, is one of its most popular citizens and enterprising business men.

As an evidence of that fact, Mr. Revell is one of the directors of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, one of the directors of the North Side Savings Bank; director of the National Business League; Lafayette Memorial Commission; trustee of the Northwestern University; member of McKinley National Monument Association; member of the National Civic Federation (executive committee); member Legion of Honor, France, 1908. He honorably

served as one of the members of the Executive Committee of the World's Columbian Exposition in 1893. He has also served as one of the members of the Board of Education; he has been president of Alexander H. Revell & Co., furniture manufacturers and merchants since 1879, with offices and salesrooms at 141 S. Wabash avenue.

Mr. Revell has for many years been actively interested in all of the leading reform movements in this country. The colored people residing in this city have no better friend than Mr. Revell, for years he has employed both colored men and women in his establishment in various responsible capacities, and they are always treated with the very highest consideration by Mr. Revell, who is a highly cultured gentleman, and by his many assistants and the colored people residing in the 29th senatorial district should feel themselves highly honored in having the pleasure to vote for him for delegate to the Constitutional Convention.



COL. FRANKLIN A. DENISON

Assistant Attorney General of Illinois, Ex-Colonel of the Eighth Regiment Illinois National Guard, or the 370th U. S. Infantry; Republican candidate for delegate to the Constitutional Convention, from the first Senatorial district of Illinois.

HON. WALTER HERBERT WILSON, VICE-PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR OF THE CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF ILLINOIS.

Republican Candidate for Delegate to the Constitutional Convention From the First Senatorial District of Illinois.

Hon. Walter Herbert Wilson, Republican candidate for delegate to the Constitutional Convention from the First Senatorial District of Illinois easily ranks with the best business men in this country and for many years he has been one of Chicago's most progressive and prominent citizens and all of those years he has been a strong or steadfast member and one of the south side leaders of the Republican party.

For a long time Mr. Wilson has been successfully engaged in the real estate business, doing business under the firm name of Walter H. Wilson & Co., with the main office on the 5th floor of the Rookery Building.

He honorably served as City Comptroller of Chicago from 1907 to 1911, during the reign of the late Mayor Fred A. Busse.

He is vice-president and one of the directors of the Central Trust Company of Illinois, he is also one of the directors of the Chicago Morris Plan Bank; he is one of the governing members of the Art Institute of Chicago; during the world war for democracy he worked hard day and night in helping to make all of the Liberty Loan drives successful; he was also active in the drives for the American Red Cross; the salvation Army drive and all other

PROGRESS IN NEGRO EDUCATION.

Hampton, Va.—The National Association of Teachers in Colored Schools at its recent meeting in Orangeburg, S. C., elected John M. Gandy, Petersburg, Va., president. Lucie Bragg Anthony, Sumter, S. C., recording secretary; Silas X. Floyd, Augusta, Ga., executive secretary; J. S. Clark, Baton Rouge, La., registrar; and W. H. A. Howard, Tallahassee, Fla., treasurer.

Southern Progress.
The Association's resolution on Southern progress in Negro education follows:

"We note with pleasure a general increase in the interest in Negro education in the Southern states as is shown in the encouraging growth in the number of new modern and well-equipped school buildings now appearing in Southern cities; in the remarkable number of new, sanitary, and well-appointed schoolhouses in the country district that have been built in recent years, especially in Louisiana; in the growing interest in better-trained teachers as is evidenced by the surprisingly large number of summer schools and teachers' institutes conducted for colored teachers this year; in the tendency here and there to increase teachers' salaries, and to lengthen school terms, and in the evident intention, especially illustrated in North Carolina, to provide high school for Negro youth at public expense, and as has been shown in exceptional growth of county training schools for Negro youth in the rural districts; and, whereas these improvements have come, not only through public initiative, but also through the hearty co-operation and financial assistance of the colored people, we

the timely assistance being given by the National Security League in helping to remove the blot of illiteracy from among us; and of Northern philanthropy which is still so sadly needed to supplement the slender funds available for Negro education in the South."

BIG MEETING AT BETHEL CHURCH

A Monster Mass Meeting will be held at Bethel Church, 30th and Dearborn streets, Monday evening, November 3, at 8:00 o'clock.

The Hyde Park and Kenwood Associations have said "They shall Not Pass."

Alderman Schwartz of the 3rd Ward joined in the statement that "Colored people meet, talk and do nothing."

Alderman Jackson of the 2nd Ward says, "We will meet, talk and do something that 'will pass' and upset the calculations of the Hyde Park and Kenwood tribe."

Come to this Race meeting, it is going to be a hummer. A Race bank and a chain of stores are already on our list.

THEY SHALL PASS!

Thursday evening the members and friends of St. Thomas Episcopal Church gave a very brilliant and pleasant reception at the Appomattox Club in honor of Rt. Rev. E. Thomas Denlig, suffragan Bishop of the State of Ark. and the southwest provinces. Mr. J. E. Abham was Chairman of Committee. Mrs. L. N. Jones, Treasurer, Mr. Chas. W. Settles, Secretary.



REV. A. J. CAREY

Presiding Elder of the Chicago District of the A. M. E. church, one of the leading candidates for Bishop in 1920, and Republican candidate for delegate to the Constitutional Convention from the Third Senatorial District of Illinois.

Presiding Elder, Chicago District, A. M. E. Church, unanimously endorsed by the Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky, West Kentucky and Chicago Annual Conference for election to the Bishopric at the General Conference which assembles in St. Louis next May. A native of Georgia, an adopted son of Florida, an earnest worker everywhere for his church and race Dr. Carey enjoys the friendship and confidence of the people in all sections north and south and east and west.

As an evidence of their firm belief in his ability, efficiency and race loyalty the regular Republicans of the Third Senatorial District have nominated Dr. Carey as their standard bearer for the Constitutional Convention which meets in Springfield January 6th, 1920.

The election takes place Tuesday (this coming) Nov. 4th. Every voter interested in his state, his city or his race should not fail to go to the polls on Tuesday and cast his ballot for Archibald J. Carey.



HON. GEORGE F. HARDING

City Comptroller of Chicago; one of the high priests of the Republican party in this city, who is working mighty hard to elect Hon. Walter H. Wilson and Col. F. A. Denison delegates to the Constitutional Convention from the First Senatorial District of Illinois.

movements or drives to aid in carrying on the war and he raised thousands of dollars and freely contributed thousands of dollars of his own money to assist to uphold the arms of Uncle Sam.

Mr. Wilson has for many years freely donated each year a nice sum of money to the Old Folks' Home (Colored) and in many other ways he has ever stood ready to assist worthy institutions conducted in the interest of the colored people.

Therefore it goes without saying that all the colored voters residing in the First Senatorial District of Illinois will on Tuesday, November 4, see to it that Mr. Wilson is elected as one of the Republican delegates to the Constitutional Convention.

MRS. JULIUS F. TAYLOR

Is on the Road to Recovery From a Severe Attack of Pneumonia.

At this writing Mrs. Julius F. Taylor, who has been confined to her home for the past two weeks from a most severe attack of pneumonia of the right lung, is on the way to recovery and Dr. Walter N. Thomas, states that after lying at the point of death for so long, that she is safely across the danger line.

recommend these encouraging examples of the hearty co-operation of the public school authorities and the colored patrons to all sections of the South and urge that such helpful efforts be continued, until ample provisions for the education of all colored children at public expense shall have been made.

A Plea for Higher Education.

"Whereas, owing to the accepted separation of colored and white people, the needs of colored people for intelligent leadership, for professional service, and especially for competent, well-prepared teachers increases with the development of the race, we urge that high-school training should be provided for colored youth in all Southern cities and in each county as is proposed, for example, in North Carolina. Whereas, college training is also necessary to the proper education of these much-needed leaders and teachers, we urge further that such provisions be made for college training as the needs require.

"We wish to express anew our appreciation of the highly suggestive and effective work of the Slater and Jennes Funds in the education of Negro youth in the South; of the admirable assistance and the constructive work of the General Education Board; of the Rosenwald Fund in building schoolhouses; of the Smith-Hughes Acts; of

The Editor of the Chicago Broad Ax, Julius F. Taylor, has been ripping the Editor of the Chicago Defender, Robert S. Abbott, up the back during the past two weeks. Mr. Taylor things that Mr. Abbott is quite unfair and inconsistent in his wholesale criticism of Negroes who migrated to the North during war times. In this connection, we wish to reiterate, that, "the Southern Negroes who are giving Mr. Abbott and his class so much embarrassment have just as great capacity for higher education, culture and refinement as the Northern Negroes have but, unfortunately, they haven't had a chance, that's ALL.—The New Era, Shreveport, La., October 18, 1919.

Wednesday evening St. Monica Court, No. 279, Catholic Order of Foresters, held their 8th public installation of its officers at the Unity Club, 3110 Indiana avenue. The affair was largely attended and everybody seemed to have a good time. Dancing was in order until 1 o'clock a. m.

Last evening 4 Halloween frolic and dance was held at the Appomattox Club, 3441 S. Wabash avenue, and many of its most prominent members, including the dear sweet ladies were present and heartily joined in the sport of the evening.



HON. MICHAEL K. SHERIDAN

Member of the Board of Assessors of Cook County, who is very popular with all classes of his fellow citizens, and Democratic candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention from the 11th Senatorial District of Illinois, and his thousands of warm friends feel that on Tuesday, November 4, that he will be elected with both hands down.